AUCTION SALES.

JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, AUCTIONEER.

## Peremptory Sale of Two Frame Houses, Nos. 1239 and 12391/2 6th St. N.W.

On TUESDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH SEVENTEENTH, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK, I will offer for sale, by public auction, in front of the premises, part of lot 17, in square 481, improved by two frame henses.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, the balance in one and two years, with interest from the day of sale at 6% per annum, secured by deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$200 required at time of sale. Terms to be compiled with in 15 days, otherwise the property will be resold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser. All conveyancing, &c., at the purchaser's cost.

mb9-d&ds JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, Auct.

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FRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE RUILDING
LOTS ON CHAMPLAIN AND ONTARIO AVENUES, JUST NORTH OF FLORIDA AVENUE,
IN A RAPIDLY IMPROVING SECTION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated the
25th day of November, 1896, and duly recorded in
Liber No. 2175, folio 66 set seq., of the land recolds of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the parties secured thereby, we will sell
at public auction, in front of the premises, on
TUESDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF
MARCH, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK
P.M., the following described lands and premises,
with the easements, rights, ways and appurtenances thereanto belonging, situate and lying in
the county of Washington, District of Columbia,
namely: 211 of lots numbered four (4), five (5), six
(6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), twenty (20),
twenty-one (21), twenty-four (24) and twenty-five
(25), in block numbered four (4), in Hall and
Flyans' subdivision of land now known as "Meridian
Hill." as per plats recorded respectively in Liber
E. C. E. No. 24, folio 439, of the land records of
the District of Columbia, and in Liber Levy Court
No. 2, folio 58, and Liber Governor Shepherd, folos 62 and 63, of the records of the office of the
surveyor of said District.

Also all of lots numbered thirty-seven (37), thirty-eight (38), thirty-nine (39), forty (40), forty-one Also all of lots numbered thirty-seven (37), thirty-eight (38), thirty-nine (39), forty (40), forty-one (41), forty-two (42), forty-three (43) and forty-four (44), in William Linkins and George W. Linkins' subdivision of lots in said block numbered four (4), "Meridian Hill." as per plat recorded in Liber County No. 6, folio 136, of the records of the office of the surveyor aforesaid.

The property will be offered separately, and if rot thus sold will be immediately put up and offered as a whole.

Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years, with interest at 5% per annum, payable semi-annually, and secured by a deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. If sold in detail a deposit of \$100 will be required on each lot at the time of sale. If sold as a whole, a deposit of \$500 will be required. All conveyancing, recording, notarial fees, etc., at cost of purchaser. If terms of sale are not compiled with in fifteen days from the day of sale, the exposerty so in default may be readvertised and resold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser, after due notice published in some Washington newspaper.

THOS. R. JONES, Surviving Trustee, Nat. Safe Deposit, Savings and Trust Co. mh4-d&ds. Also all of lots numbered thirty-seven (37), thir-

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JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, AUCTIONEER.

Chancery sale at public auction of valuable unimproved corner property, consisting of Nine Building Lots to be offered singly, fronting 1st street, 91 feet 8 inches, Maryland avenue, 55 feet 8 inches, and the Circle (Garfield Statue), about 90 feet, opposite the Capitol grounds and the Botanical Gardens.

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ON Wednesday, March Twenty-Fifth, 1903, At Half-Past four o'Clock P.M., by virtue of decrees of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia in Equity Cause 21343, we will effer for sale, in front of the premises, all of original lot numbered 9, in square numbered 576, except that part heretofore condemned and conveyed to the United States for the making of said circle, situate in the city of Washington, said District, and containing about 12,248 square feet. This property is not only desirable for residences, but is also suitable for an apartment or storage warehouse; offers a splendid opportunity for investment, and will be offered first in nine parcels or building lots, as per proposed subdivision, plat of which may be seen on application at the office of Mr. Williams, and will be exhibited at the time of sale, and then as a whole, and will be sold whichever way will ultimately realize the largest sum.

Terms: One-third in cash, balance in two equal installments in one and two years from the day of sale, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum until paid, payable semi-annually, secured by deed of trust on the property sold, in form satisfactory to the court, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$200 on each parcel or lot, if sold separately, or \$500 if sold as a whole, will be required at the time of sale; the terms to be complied with within ten days, or the trustees rese ve the light to resell at the risk and cost of any defaulting purchaser, after three days' advertisement of such resale. Taxes to be paid or adjusted to the day of sale. All conveyancing, notary fees and recording at purchaser's cost.

W. MOSBY WILLIAMS, Trustee, fees and recording at purchaser's cost.

W. MOSBY WILLIAMS, Trustee,

CLARENCE R. WILSON, Trustee,
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ALEXANDER H. BELL, Trustee,
No. 313 John Marshall place.

THOS. J. OWEN & SON, AUCTIONEERS.

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated February 6, 1897, and recorded in Liber No. 2188, follo 381 et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of

the pastrict of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction, in front of the premises, on THURSDAY, MARCH TWENTY-SIXTH, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., all of original lots eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10), in square ten hundred and ninety-eight, as per plat recorded in the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia. det of Columbia. Terms of sale: All cash. A deposit of two hun-

TRUSTEES' SALE OF 6-ROOM FRAME DWELL-ING, NO. 613 16TH ST. N.E.

By virtue of a deed of trust, recorded in Liber 2034, folio 242, of the D. C. land records, by request of the holder of the note secured, we will sell, at auction, in front of the premises, on NINETEENTH DAY OF MARCH, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR P.M., lot 82 in the subdivision of lots 1 to 13 in block 27 of Long Meadows, as per plat recorded in County Book 8, page 28, of the District surveyor's office. Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years. A deposit of \$100 at time of sale. Sale to be completed in thirty days or property resold at purchaser's cost.

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CHANCERY SALE OF VALUABLE LOT ON 6TH STREET BETWEEN G AND I STREETS SOUTHEAST, WITH WIDE ALLEYS IN REAR AND ON SIDE OF THE REAR LINES. Our Regular Sale on

Thursday, March 19, 1903,

AND ON SIDE OF THE REAR LINES.

By virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, passed in Equity No. 23548, Docket 53, I will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on THURSDAY, THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF MARCH, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the north 33 (cat I line), front on 6th street by depth of original HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the north 33 feet 1 inch front on 6th street by depth of original lot 13 in square 878, Washington, D. C. Said front of 33 feet 1 inch extends to a depth of 93 feet 4½ inches, at which point the width is reduced to 32 feet, and with that width runs 172 feet to the rear line of said lot.

Terms prescribed by the decree: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, of which a deposit of \$100 must be paid at the time of sale, and the balance in equal installments in one and two years, with interest from day of sale, payable semi-annually, for which notes of purchaser, secured by deed of trust on the property sold, will be taken; or all cash, at the option of the purchaser's cost. Terms to be compiled with in fifteen days, and in case of default by the purchaser the trustee will report to the court for its order in the premises.

THOS. E. WAGGAMAN, Trustee, mh13-d&ds

JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, AUCTIONEER.

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TRUSTEES SALE OF FRAME HOUSE ON DELA-WARE AVE. BETWEEN H AND I STREETS SOUTHWENT.

By virtue of a deed of trust duly recorded in Liber No. 2631, folio 121 et seg., of the land records for the Hastrict of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale at public auction in front of the premises, on FRIDAY, THE TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the following described real estate, situate in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, to wit: Lots numbered twenty 429, twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), and twenty-three (23), of Emma J. Chew and others' subdivision of original lot numbered seven (7), in square numbered five hundred and ninety (590), as the same appears of record in the office (7). In square numbered five hundred and ninety (590), as the same appears of recerd in the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia, in Book 26, at page 17, the same being all of original lot numbered seven (7), and the same property of which the said Arthur Chew died selzed and possessed, together with all the improvements, rights, etc.

Terms: One-third cash, the balance in one and two years, with interest from the day of sale at

TRUSTEES' SALE LOT 68, BLOCK 5, IN LE
DROIT PARK.

By virtue of a deed of trust, dated October 4,
1895, and recorded in Liber 2056, folio 404 et seq.,
one of the land records of the District of Columbia, the undersigned trustees will offer, at public sale, on the premises, lot 68, in Belle Bond et al.'s subdivision of lots 6 and 7, in block 5, of Barber & Co.'s subdivision of Le Droit Park,
MARCH TWENTY-SIXTH, 1903, AT FIVE O'CLOCK P.M.
"Terms: All cash. Conveyancing at purchaser's cost.

FOREST W. MEELROY,
mh14-d&ds

TRUSTEES' SALE OF DESIRABLE BUILDING LOT FACING SOUTH ON MORTON PLACE. FRONTING TWENTY FEET THEREON BY DEPTH OF SIXTY-NINE FEET, BETWEEN 6TH AND 7TH STREETS AND L STREET AND FLORIDA AVENUE NORHEAST.

By virtue of one certain deed of trust, bearing date June 8th, 1900, and recorded June 18th, 1900, in Liber No. 2490, folio 295 et seq. of the land records of the District of Columbia, and by the written direction of the party secured and holder of the note thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the premises, on THURSDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the following described real estate, to wit: Lot No. 101 in J. D. Cameron, James Lowndes and William P. Kellog's subdivision of square numbered 855, as said subdivision is recorded in the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia, in book No. 16, page No. 78.

Terms of sale, which are to be complied with within 15 days from the time of sale: All cash or one-third cash, balance in one and two years; notes of the purchaser secured on the property sold bearing interest from date of sale at the rate of 5 per centum per annum, payable semi-annually. The trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of any defaulting purchaser after five days' readvertisement in some newspaper published in the District of Columbia. All conveyancing, title examining and recording at the expense of the purchaser.

EDWARD F. RIGGS, Trustee,

1408 N. Y. ave., Bond building.

GEORGE J. EASTERDAY, Trustee,

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF PREMISES 320, 322 G STREET SOUTHEAST.

By virtue of a deed of trust, recorded in Liber 1689, folio 478, one of the land records of the District of Columbia, we shall sell at public auction, in front of the premises, on TUESDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF MARCH, 1903, AT FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., the west 25 feet front by depth of lot 3, square 795, together with the improvements, &c., in the city of Washington. Will sell separately or as a whole.

Terms: One-fourth cash, residue at one and two years, five per cent interest, payable semi-annually, secured by the notes of the purchaser and deed of trust on the property; or all cash. \$200 deposit. Terms to be compiled with in fifteen days, or trustees reserve the right to resell at defaulting purchaser's cost and risk. Conveyancing, &c., at cost of purchaser.

AUCTION SALES.

FUTURE DAYS. JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, AUCTIONEER.

Trustees' Sale of a Valuable Brick Dwelling, No. 912 H Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C.

By virtue of two (2) certain deeds of trust, dated July 11, 1896, and March 16, 1897, and recorded, respectively, in Liber No. 2120, folio 475, and Liber 2202, folio 290 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, the undersigned trustees, for default made under said trusts and by direction of the party secured thereby, will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on MONDAY, THE THIRTIETH DAY OF MARCH, 1903, AT A QUARTER-PAST FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., the foliowing described real estate, to wit: Lot numbered one hundred and seventeen (117) in Henry O. Towles and Charles G. Duncanson's subdivision of the lot of the Church of the Ascension, in square numbered three hundred and seventy-five (375), as per plat in book 12, page 91, in the surveyor's office for said District; beginning for the same 121.40 feet west of 9th street and running thence west 20 feet; thence south 123 feet; thence est 20 feet, and thence north 123 feet to the beginning, improved by a modern brick dwelling, No. 912 H street northwest.

Terms of sale: One-third cash; balance in one and two years, with interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum on the deferred purchase money, which shall be secured by deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at purchaser's option. Deposit of \$200 required at time of sale. Terms of sale to be compiled with in fifteen days or the property to be resold at purchaser's risk and cost. All conveyancing at cost of purchaser.

HENRY H. BERGMANN, GEORGE M. EMMERICH, mh17-d&ds

H. K. Fulton's Sale of Unredeemed Pledges. John Doyle Carmody, Auctioneer.

AUCTIONEET.

I will sell at public auction, at the office of H. K. Fulton, 314 9th st. n.w., commencing on WED-NESDAY, MARCH TWENTY-FIFTH, 1903, AT TEN O'CLOCK A.M., all the unredeemed pledges in his office on which is due ONE YEAR'S INTEREST OR MORE, consisting of DIAMONDS AND OTHER PRECIOUS STONES, set in fine mountings in different styles of Jewelry, Gold, Silver and Gold-filled Watches, Gold Chains, Charms, Cuff and Link Buttons, Gold Badges, Medais, Solid Silver and Plated Ware and other numerous articles. Sale to continue until all lots are sold. NO PLEDGES PUT BACK ON THE MORNING OF SALE.

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE STONE AND BRICK DWELLING, NO. 1701 Q ST. N.W., BEING ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF 17TH AND Q STS., AND FRONTING 55.20 FEET ON SAID Q ST.

By virtue of a deed of trust, duly recorded in Liber No. 1580, follo 430 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party thereby secured, we will sell at public auction, in front of the premises, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH TWENTY-FIFTH, 1903. AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the following described real estate in the city of Washington, District of Columbia: All of lot 177 and part of lot 176 in T. F. Schneider's subdivision of lots in square 155, as per plat recorded in Book 16, page 80, of the records of the surveyor's office of said District, the whole of said property being described as follows: Beginning for the same at the southeastern corner of said square, running thence north on the west line of West 17th street 20.33 feet; thence west 44 feet; thence north 8.41 feet; thence west 11.20 feet to the rear of the western line of lot 176; thence south 28.74 feet to the north line of Q street, and thence east 55.20 to the place of beginning, with the improvements above stated, with perpetual right of way, for alley purposes, in common with T. F. Schneider, his heirs and assigns, over the rear or western 3 feet of lots 173, 174, 175 and 176 from the northwestern corner of the ground above described and extending north to the 15-foot-wide alley adjoining said lot 173 on the north. Being the same property described in deed recorded in Liber No. 1458, following said lot 173 on the north. Being the same property described in deed recorded in Liber No. 1458, following said lot 173 on the north. Being the same property described in deed recorded in Liber No. 1458, following said lot 173 on the north as a deed of trust of \$8,450, which has been extended to mature March 24, 1906, with interest at 5%, payable semi-annually, and secured by deed of trust on the property sold, will be t

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Terms: One-fourth cash, balance in one and two years, with interest at 5 per cent, secured by deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$200 required at time of sale. Conveyancing, recording, etc., at cost of purchaser.

THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers, mh14-d&ds

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AT FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., I will offer, in front
of the premises, lot 12, in heirs of John Davidson's
subdivision of lots in square 222, Washington, D.
C., fronting 25 feet on 15th street by an average
depth of 134 feet to wide alley connecting with
15th street, with the improvements above stated.
Terms: One-half cash, of which a deposit of
\$500 must be made at time of sale, balance in one
and two years, with interest, payable semi-annually, secured by deed of trust on the property,
or all cash, at option of purchaser. All conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost, and
terms to be complied with in 15 days or property
will be sold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser.

THOS. E. WAGGAMAN,
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Auctioneer,

JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, Auctioneer.

Executor's Sale of Household Furniture, Carpets, Draperies, Pictures, Silverware, Bed and Table Linen, &c., at No. 1226 13th Street Northwest.

On Thursday, the 19th Day of March, 1903, at 10 O'clock a.m., All the Household Furniture, Carpets, Silver Ware, &c., now contained in premises No. 1226 13th street northwest.

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF THREE-STORY, SEVEN-ROOM, ENGLISH BASEMENT BRICK DWELL-ING, NO. 1936 LINDEN, OR FOURTH, STREET, LE DROIT PARK.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, duly recorded in Liber No. 2624, folio 183 et seq., one of the land records for the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured, we will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on TUESDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF MARCH, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., lot numbered 21, in Speich and Moore, trustees', subdivision of part of block numbered 14, "Lo Droit Park," as per plat recorded in Liber County No. 8, folio 92, of the records of the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia, situate in the county of Washington, District of Columbia, with the improvements thereon.

Terms announced at time of sale. A deposit of \$100 required upon acceptance of bid. Terms to be compiled with within ten days from day of sale. Conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost.

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and retained, but apparently one or two are still left. The latest culprit is said by a lady, who writes as if from experience, to be mantelpleces. The modern mantel-plece is enormous, and with judicious mandespair, and presumably takes to the less irritating work of a factory. It is quite certain that our great-grandmothers often took the trouble of dusting their precious "pieces" off the hands of their servants, "pieces" off the hands of their servants, and that they kept their servants a long time; but it is not necessary to go deeply into logic to find the fallacy in the argument. After all, it is the cook, not the housemaid, who is wanted. But perhaps the eulogists of past methods will argue that our great-grandmothers also took into their own hands the making of many dishes. Is it suggested that in this respact, too, the modern mistress should try to meet the existing difficulty? If so, any of the many suggestions—no servants, yellow

STYLES IN MEN'S WEAR

WASHINGTON, D. C., POST OFFICE NOTICE Should be read daily, as changes may occur at COLOR IS TO BE VERY MUCH IN EVIDENCE.

> A Radical Idea for Summer Afternoon Dress, Making Use of the Dinner Jacket.

Men's fashions will, during the approach ing summer, be very much less stringent regarding the use of color than they have een for several seasons. It will not be a dull, monotonous one color, one idea season, where every man seems to be attired alike, and where even the least attempt at originality is frowned upon as a sartorial solecism. Man has so very much the worst of it in the matter of variety in dress as compared with the gentler sex, that any little concessions that may be allowed on the side of either variety or color is most acceptable. No matter how slight the variation from the standard of sombreness may be, it becomes instantly noticeable. If indulgence in these departures be encouraged, then fashions run riot, fads crop out, and man's dress becomes little short of ridiculous. A man cannot be too careful of the liberties permitted by a very exacting mode. The air of simplicity and refinement in attire must be preserved, and this can be accomplished without entirely eschewing all color. It is over-ornamentaeschewing all color. It is over-ornamenta-tion, delicate colors, over-indulgence in decided colors, and the affectation of peculiar arrangement and the cut of clothes that makes a man appear ridiculous. Compare the flashily dressed man of the racepare the flashlly dressed man of the race-track type to the well-groomed and conservatively attired merchant, and you instantly grasp the full meaning of the value of proper dress. Vivid hues in the cravat or shirt, noticeable plaids in suitings, the lavish display of jewelry or the wearing of garments of peculiar cut are contrary to the intent and the spirit of the mode, and liberality in fashions if properly understood means the avoidance of these extremes and the conservation of those predominant impressions made by well-balanced garments that, while embodying

A New Idea. There is an effort to introduce, the comng season, a new idea for afternoon wear. This is nothing less than bringing in the dinner jacket as an afternoon garment. The indorsers of this new idea claim that at the seaside, mountain and watering resorts, such as Narragansett, Saratoga and the Bluff Point, the frock coat and silk hat are entirely too uncomfortable to be worn, and, therefore, must be ruled out as part of the formal attire for day wear. The new outfit would be made up of a dinner jacket of soft black vicuna, with a shawl collar faced with silk, a single-breasted white waistcoat with gilt or black pearl buttons, a very neatly striped, pleated neglige shirt, a high-band collar and a tie of dark hue, with an exceedingly neat pat-tern. The trousers would be of the same material as the coat, and the shoes would be low cut patent leathers, the half-hose being of black silk with neat embroidery. The hat would be a split sennit sailor with a colored ribbon. Of course this is a rather radical suggestion, and I am not responsible for it. There is, however, one very good thing about it, and that is that it would make a dinner jacket really useful. However, speaking of the dinner jacket, reminds me that it is about time that something was said about its proper place in the summer wardrobe of man. I think that it will be worn at hotel hops and small denses and the trail he worn with the dances and that it will be worn with the single-breasted white waistcoat. The waist-coat should have eiher gilt or black pearl buttons, as the white pearl buttons belong exclusively to formal evening dress waist-

Handsome Belts. There are a number of very handsome things in belts for next summer, some of of the girl or her friends. In fact, they are of a very fine Japanese leather in black lety, the mountings being heavily gold plated. Pigskin belts about one and one-quarter inch wide are to be extensively worn. This is the genuine English pig, stitched with yellow thread by saddler hands. Watch Alberts as well as leather fobs trimmed with gun metal, sterling silver or gold will also be in favor.

One finds in the new shirtings not a few things which are novel and pleasing. It is neatness and quietness in man's apparel, but when it is overdone, when one is con-fined to black and white and gray, then the advocacy of gentility becomes a cloak for Puritianism and we men are likely to revolt; in which case our indulgence in color becomes marked, and we go from the iant striped effects. In the new pleated shirts which, by the way, have very plain, one-inch pleats, the solid colors are favored. are not counted among the favorites in the smartest shops. In the plain front shirts the striped patterns are used, and it is the plain front shirt which sells best. These shirts are made with narrow cuffs which

golf, automobiling, traveling and rough country wear, the flannel shirts are still chosen. The newest are in solid grays, or in pinks, or they come in these colors with stripes in a contrasting shade. In the striped patterns, white figures in some of the best combinations as a ground color.

color. The new tones and combinations are beautiful and cannot be condemned on the ground of loudness or unsuitability.

Practically the only collar that is shown although one or two very exclusive shops have practically decided to go back to the narrow stitching. But to me, this is rather

an unimportant detail. The fold collar and the soft shirt will naturally go together and once the top coat is laid aside they will be very much in evidence. The fold collar permits of the wearing of but two types of cravat, the tie and the four-in-hand; and, unfortunately. and the four-in-hand; and, unfortunately, the forms in these two types are very limited. The season's tie will be perfectly straight and with square ends, and will be from one and three-quarters to two inches wide. They will be made up softly and will be tied tightly. The effects will be very neat and the favorite materials will be the new silk and linen cravatings and the foulards. Four-in-hands will be in various widths, but I think that the one and three-quarter inch affair will be about as narrow as they will be worn. Of course, as narrow as they will be worn. Of course, there will be extremes, some of the freakish forms being less than an inch in width, but I do not think that the shoe-string form of cravat in any shape will appeal to well-dressed men. So long as fold collars are worn, ties and four-in-hands of moderate widths, tightly tied, will prevail.

In half hose the trend is very decidedly toward very neat effects and combinations in dark colors. There are two classes of colorings. One for the tan shoe and the other for the black shoe. Both will be worn next summer and it is therefore, a question of selecting half hose to go well with the shoe color. The newest embroidas narrow as they will be worn. Of course

question of selecting half hose to go well with the shoe color. The newest embroideries are exceedingly neat and simple, as are the side clockings. Lace or open work socks are not in good favor. They are altogether to effeminate for the average man, and it is quite safe to predict that so long as women wear open work stockings men will leave the open work half hose

Chamois gloves are being shown for

spring wear and they will undoubtedly be also among the possibilities. They are now

remain the favorite for business as well as all ordinary day wear.

A stunning novelty in high-grade cravats is a two-inch tie cut straight with a slight is a two-inch tie cut straight with a slight scoop in the back. The ties are made of grenadine which has a very broad stripe in one color. The stripe comes to within a quarter of an inch of the edge. In the center of the broad stripe is a narrow stripe in two colors. These broad ties will be worn with low fold collars, this being a combination which will doubtless be popular during the warm months. Spats are being worn very extensively. They are in two shades of tan and one of fawn. The dark tan is worn with business dress and the light tan with more formal attire. Spats should never be worn with the most formal dress, but are properly a part of business dress, but are properly a part of business and strictly neglige attire.

New Jackets.

The new jackets for next summer's wear will be of moderate length and will have a modified military cut. They will be cut both single and double-breasted, the former being in the premier place in favor. The single-breasted jackets will be quite sharply cut away in front and will have a deep single vent in the back. The sleeves will have three or four buttons and there will be breast as well as side pockets. The collars will be small and the lapels will be

wide.

A new idea in hunting stocks comes from England. The stock has a collar which laps in the back and is closed there with hooks and eyes, while the front has two aprons in which cross over a center plece, making the flat stock. The stocks are made very soft and can be easily washed. The laundrymen are, to my way of thinking, a decidedly stupid lot. They have for years been following certain ways of for years been following certain ways of doing up collars, and it seems impossible to get them to either change their methods or permit a customer to have his own way. The best dressed men insist on domestic, lusterless finish, and they also insist that their collars, of the poke and standing variety, be froned and delivered flat. Laundrymen, however, insist on sending these collars to one's house all rolled up in a tight coll which is not proper, as it souls the lars to one's house all rolled up in a tight coil, which is not proper, as it spoils the set of the collar. Since pokes came in many of the laundries bend the points over and one gets wings instead of pokes. There may be a few good laundries, probably there are from the mechanical viewpoint, but there are blessed few that can be called good from the viewpoint of the well-dressed man who knows what he wants and who man who knows what he wants and who finds it very difficult to get it.

BUYING A WIFE.

An Englishman's Observations at a Marriage Fair in Tunis.

From the London Chronicle. A famous marriage fair, or mart, is held yearly at the village of Menguelet, in the well-known oasis on the Wady Jemala, in the Kabyle district of Tunis. It takes place at the end of the harvest season, when the ingathering of the crops is finished, the produce disposed of and the tribesmen of the country, flush with money, as money is reckoned thereabouts, think of adding a wife to the other purchases they always

make for the ensuing twelve months. Being within thirty miles of the Ait at the time of the market, I rode over to see how such a show was organized and managed In the open space the damsels were ranged ready for inspection in the marriage mar-ket. There they face the visitor, separated from the noisy part of the fair, ranged in four separate rows and numbering, I should say, between 600 and 700. Each damsel is seated on a small, bright-colored carpet spread upon the ground, and each has a ne-gafa—a sort of nurse, attendant and duenna combined—seated beside her. Conspicuously, displayed in front of each, moreover, is a big roll of woven stuff. This roll of material plays an important part in the marriage negotiations, and is always woven by the girl herself. The young women are at-tired in the most expensive and richest garments the parents and relatives can

secure. They are painted, patched and powdered, as is the invariable custom of Kabyle belles, and wear sufficient rings, bangles, bracelets, chains and brooches to stock a small-sized jeweler's shop. These jewels are not by any means always the property As there is a good deal of rivalry between the different deheras and kebalis in regard to the appearance of their damsels in the marriage market, there is no difficulty in getting on loan as much ornament of the kind as the girl can carry on her person, especially if she is at all good looking. It is not easy for a stranger to decide upon the beauty of a Berber maid, for she tattoos

the face as well as paints it.

How is sale and purchase effected? In the How is sale and purchase effected? In the simplest way imaginable. The would-be buyer has only to walk up to the carpet upon which the girl he wishes to own is seated, touch with his finger the roll of woven stuff in front of her and ask the price. If the young woman, on looking over the inquiring tribesman, is satisfied with him, she names a very low figure, the small sum of ten pieces, which is agreed upon among the several clans as the equivalent of acceptance.

of acceptance.

If not, she merely quotes a high price, something up in the hundreds, and it is then understood that the offer is respectfully declined and a deal is not likely to be for a girl depends upon the standing of her family and the kebal to which they belong. It is fixed, moreover, by immemorial usage, so that every young man knows pretty well what he will have to pay for a wife. Hence only those who have the requisite means can venture to make an offer for any lot on view.

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It should not, however, be supposed that these young Berber beauties are by any means prepared to yield themselves to the first comer who can afford to pay the recognized equivalent to the parents. Kabyle women are anything but the docile and obe-dient drudges many western readers imwife in a like rank of life. They unquestionably rule the domestic roost, and know how to use the wooden clogs, the kabkab,

with convincing effect upon the bare pates of their spouses. A Museum Within a Museum.

It is a long reach from the sixth century before Christ to the present day, but the University of Pennsylvania Museum has just incorporated a museum of that date entirely contained in a large earthen jar, but the contents are very valuable from an historical standpoint, and show that the ideas of the early curator were very much like those of present curators. Whether the specimens were excavated or purchased is not known, but they undoubtedly represent a collection which must have been made during the time of Belshazzar, since it was found in one of the upper strata at Nippur. The best specimen in the jar is an inscription containing the titles of Sargon the First, who lived about 3809 B. C. There is a black stone votive tablet of Ur-Gur, 2700 B. C., which tells that this king built the great wall around the city of Nippur. Then there is a terra-cottabrick stamp of Bur-Sin, which is the first vet found of that king. Another tablet yet found of that king. Another tablet states that the large hall of the temple was called Emakh, and also that there interesting tablet gives some astronomical little museum contains nineteen pieces in all, and the collection will be placed sepa-rately in the University Museum.

Riviera Flowers.

lower market at Covent Garden is one of carnations, narcissus, anemones, mimosa, violets, etc., realizing over £400,000 per annum, are taken by Paris alone from the Riviera growers, and the total output probably reaches a value of from £800,000 to £1,000,000.

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urles, one person alone cannot afford a tiaras, carriages, motorcars are the only things brides and bridegrooms care for, so that the idea of clubbing together, as used to be always done in regiments, is really